

Butte Department.

SHE'LL FIGHT IT OUT

Remarkable Story of Marital Disturbances in the Price Family.

IT'S A STRANGE FORMATION

There Are Some Things Connected With the Divorce Case That Will Probably Not Come Out at the Trial.

Mrs. Julia Price has evidently determined to fight the suit for divorce brought against her about two weeks ago by her husband, Joseph Price, for yesterday she filed a demurrer to his complaint, alleging that the latter did not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action. Her attorney is John N. Kirk. Price's ground for a divorce is desertion and in his complaint he alleged that they were married on Nov. 24, 1894, and that 15 days later she deserted him.

Friends of Mrs. Price, in giving her side, tell a remarkable story of the couple's marital troubles. Mrs. Price had been married before she was united to Price, but had met the latter during her former husband's lifetime. They tell some things that will hardly be brought out at the divorce trial, but some time after her husband's death she married Price, the license being taken out erroneously in her maiden name of Julia Murphy. It is denied that she deserted Price, but on the contrary it is claimed that he deserted her. They did not get along well at all, and she planned to sue him for separate maintenance or alimony, and he talked about getting a divorce. They finally compromised matters in April, 1895, Price paying her \$125 cash and agreeing to pay her \$10 a month alimony. He paid the alimony for two or three months and then Mrs. Price went to Arizona to visit some friends and Price left Butte and went east. As soon as she learned that he had gone away she returned to Butte and discovered that he had located in Baltimore. She obtained his address and then took after him and a few minutes after her arrival in Baltimore she confronted her husband. What happened there is not related, but about the next thing Mrs. Price knew her husband had again disappeared. It did not take her long to discover that he had sailed for his old home at Swansea, Wales. The next sailing vessel carried Mrs. Price on another chase after her husband and in good time she landed at Swansea. It is related that Mr. Price was loitering on the wharf when his wife's ship came in, but he was probably not thinking of her until he saw her walk down the gang plank. It may be surmised that he was surprised and shocked and his reception of her was not as affectionate as it might have been. She says he tried to throw her off the wharf into the sea, and she had him arrested for attempting to kill her, but he was acquitted at the trial. During her stay in Swansea she made life miserable for him. She called at the home of his parents and told them all she knew of him and how he had treated her. Price endeavored to have her return to Butte, but she would not go, and finally he himself disappeared again and along about last January he arrived in Butte. A few weeks later Mrs. Price also showed up here again. Their relations have not been extremely pleasant since and they had not lived together. The suit for divorce finally resulted, but with her evident intention of fighting the case their troubles are not likely to soon end.

IN COURT.

Ownership of the Only Chance Mining Matters Set for To-Day.

The First National bank of Butte yesterday commenced an action in the district court against the Only Chance Mining company to quit title to the Only Chance mining claim, of which the plaintiff claims to have been in undisputed ownership for 13 years, and to which the defendant lays some claim.

The following matters are set for hearing in Judge Speer's court this morning:

F. Mullins vs. Butte Hardware company; demurrer of Nicholas, Moss, Rodda vs. Shropshire et al. demurrer; Driggs, Maloney and G. A. Cobban; Anna Murphy vs. George Murphy, plaintiff's proofs; Marie LaVillette vs. Alfred LaVillette; plaintiff's proofs; Kent, Stanley & Co. vs. H. S. Tuttle et al. settlement of bill of exceptions; O. Sternberg vs. Lindebaum & Schmidt, settlement of bill of exceptions; H. L. Haupt vs. city of Butte, demurrer to answer; D. J. Kaltenbach vs. Sophia Kaltenbach, plaintiff's proofs; P. Radue vs. C. Pauwelyn, motion for new trial; E. A. Leach vs. J. H. Schober, motion for new trial; P. Wasil vs. Montana Union Railway company, demurrer to last amended complaint.

FISH DYNAMITERS.

A Lawless Class of Men Operating on Cottonwood Creek.

A. W. McDonald of Butte has returned from a few days' fishing at the head of Cottonwood creek, about 14 miles northwest of Basin. This is a famous spot for trout, but accessible only by pack trail, and consequently mild and secluded. Mr. McDonald reports that he saw a party of six men operating along the stream with dynamite. On reaching their camp, he observed one bunch of fish of not less than 600, while the banks of a small lake, where the stream heads, was lined with dead fish too small to be of use to the dynamiters. Some of the men were from Rimini. It is reported that the streams in that part of the state are being rapidly depopulated of game fish by that class of law breakers.

A Tough Trio.

Ollie Murphy and Miss Alice, two East Galena street fairies, pleaded guilty to vagrancy in police court yesterday and were given 60 days in jail.

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25 cases new Summer Hats just received.

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At their own request they were given until Monday to leave town. The Murphy woman has been living with Ed Edwards, alias Campbell, whom the police still suspect of having murdered Officer Parlin, and they propose to drive her out of the city in the hope that he will accompany her. Edwards put up a bond for the woman when she was arrested.

FROM ROSSLAND.

Major Maginnis says the country is looking up.

Major Maginnis of the Montana Ore Purchasing company returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit to Trail Creek and Rossland, where he closed some advantageous contracts for the Heinze smelters. He reports that a new blast furnace has been added to the smelter, which will increase its capacity to 450 tons a day and that the capacity of the sampling mill has been doubled. The Columbia & Western railway between Trail and Rossland, he says, is doing an immense business and is becoming one of Mr. Heinze's most profitable investments. The direct results of the Trail creek boom are felt to a great extent in Spokane, which city, Mr. Maginnis says, is growing rapidly.

THE COLUMBIA.

Work on the Property Has Developed a Fine Showing of Ore.

The tunnel on the Columbia mine on Basin creek, a property operated by Basin and Helena men, is now in 80 feet. Stringers of ore assaying high in copper now appear in the face of the tunnel. The lead will be cut the first of next week. As soon as the lead is cut a shaft will be sunk to the 100.

EVA BOOTH.

The Noted Salvation Army Leader Will Visit Butte

Commissioner Eva Booth, the great leader of the Salvation army, will visit Butte next Thursday and the army people in this city are making preparations to give her a great reception, in which citizens generally will doubtless join.

A Lecture on Mining.

Professor Channing of the Columbia school of mines delivered an interesting lecture last evening in the rooms of the Silver Bow business college and under the auspices of the Butte Scientific society. He lectured on mining methods in Michigan, using many drawings to illustrate his lecture.

The Considerate Western Union.

Through the enterprise of the Western Union Telegraph company and its popular manager, L. S. Wild, the people of Butte got their convention news yesterday hot off the wires. Bulletins were furnished gratuitously every few minutes to all the newspaper offices, hotels, club rooms and many other places. The Western Union never forgets its friends.

The Wyoming Street Clean-Up.

The disreputable women on Wyoming street commenced to move last night and that street will be rid of the most offensive of their class to-day. Mattie Anderson of the Newport will attempt to circumvent the law by running her place ostensibly as a lodging house, but the police expect to be able to make her move.

Just opened fine shoe store, 25 West Park. Bargains in shoes. John Tassell, the shoe man.

Funeral Notice.

All members of Mount Moriah lodge, No. 24 A. F. & A. M., are requested to meet at Masonic temple to-day (Saturday), July 11th, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to our deceased brother, Charles O. Doty, late a member of Battle Creek lodge No. 12, Battle Creek, Mich. Sojourning brethren are invited to attend. By order of W. M. E. A. McPherson, secretary.

Yellowstone National Park trips only \$20, starting from Bozeman and Cinnabar. Write for particulars. A. Lyman, Bozeman.

Special for the Races.

The Montana Union again makes the pace between Butte and Anaconda. During the races at Anaconda a special train will be run leaving Butte at 1 p. m. and returning at 9 p. m., making the time in 45 minutes. This is the fastest train ever run in the Northwest.

John Tassell, the shoe man, is selling Johnson & Murphy's \$9 hand-sewed shoes for \$5. 25 West Park.

J. & T. Cousins hand turned, cloth top, dark tan Oxfords, all styles of toes, \$3. John Caplice Co.

AN EMERGENCY FUND

It Raises a Question Between the Auditor and County Commissioners.

WINTERS STILL DISALLOWS

At Times It is Important That Available Cash Should Be at Hand, and That's Why the Fund Was Created.

Another question of some seriousness has arisen between County Auditor Winters and the board of commissioners. For a number of years the various county boards have maintained an emergency fund, which was established five or six years ago upon the advice of Mr. Baldwin, who was then the county attorney. There was no law authorizing such a fund, but both the county attorney and the commissioners concluded that the interests of the county demanded it. Under the law governing county expenditures money can be paid out only on warrants issued by the commissioners when in regular session. It has been frequently the case that emergencies arose where it was impractical to go through the regular 30 days' routine in order to obtain a little money, and the emergency fund was established.

Often poor people require immediate assistance, especially in cases where persons are furnished transportation to other parts of the state or to other states, where they have friends, and are thus prevented from becoming charges on the county. Railroads give the county a half rate for paupers, but they demand cash, which can only be paid out of an emergency fund. The other use to which the money in the fund is put is to refund poll taxes illegally collected. There are innumerable cases where the city collects a poll tax from a person and afterwards the county road supervisor collects again from the same person. Where that is shown to be the case the tax is refunded at once, and the person is not put to the trouble and unjust annoyance of waiting 30 days and making several trips to the court house to get back the money which had been wrongfully collected from him.

There has never been any trouble over the payment of orders on the emergency fund, although under a strict adherence to the law the fund is not a legal one. The county auditor, however, has taken a new tack and has disallowed all the June orders on the fund, aggregating \$757, on the ground that they were illegal claims against the county. Of that amount \$225 was for railroad transportation, which had been issued on the joint endorsement of the auditor and the commissioners. The remainder of the sum was for poll tax rebates. The disallowance of the claims, unless changed, will place the county treasurer in a bad fix, as he is really the responsible person and carried the emergency fund simply for accommodation, and would stand to lose the whole amount.

An applicant for transportation was before the commissioners yesterday, but the board could do nothing for her, as the auditor has command of the situation. An effort will be made to induce the auditor to change his decision, and if he declines to do so it is likely that the matter will be taken into court. While there is no doubt as to the legality of the auditor's position it is argued that it is one of the cases that appeals to the officer's judgment and discretion.

The commissioners yesterday made an order granting permission to the Giant Powder company to erect its new powder houses in the canyon near the poor house.

The county's report for the month of June was received and ordered filed and his fee bill for \$217.20 and cornerer's costs of \$165.60 were allowed and ordered paid.

The Race Train via B., A. & P. R'y leaves Butte at 1 p. m. and runs direct to race track. Returning train leaves Anaconda at 9 p. m.

A carload of tan and black Oxfords, hand turned, \$1 and \$1.50. John Caplice Co.

Dr. Leavitt has removed his office to Butte Hotel annex, upstairs.

New Designs in Wall Paper at Schatzlein's, 14 W. Broadway.

Special Excursion to Pipestone.

Commencing Sunday, June 21st, continuing throughout the summer, the Northern Pacific will run a special Sunday excursion train to Pipestone and Whitehall. The train will leave the Northern Pacific local depot at 9 a. m., returning will leave Whitehall at 6:30 p. m., Pipestone 7 p. m. Round trip to Pipestone, \$1; Whitehall, \$2.

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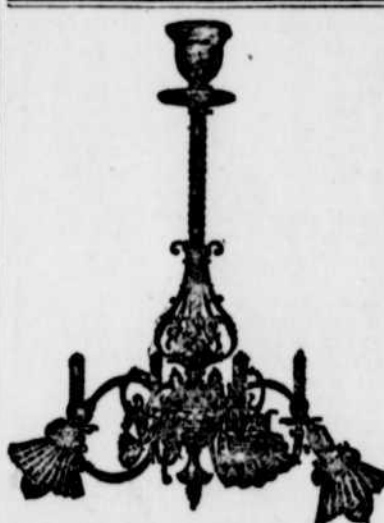
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Burnett's Old Tom Gin, quart bottle......90
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One can string beans......08
One package vermicelli......08
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